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Our store is noted for the fine assortment of Ladies' Waists displayed. A lot of the Fall Styles have arrived and we are sure you will be delighted with them.

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London, August 6.—The Admiralty this evening issued the following communication: "The homeward-bound ambulance transport Warilda was torpedoed and sunk on the 3rd of August."

First Impressions

COUNT for much; but we try to carry the impression right through in our work—from the sitting to the delivery of the finished pictures.

THAT'S WHAT TELLS.
Stall's Studio
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PHONE 34

Queen Mary's Auxiliary Corps, one American soldier, seven of the crew and 112 other persons.

The Warilda was built at Glasgow in 1912. She was 411 feet long, had a beam of thirty-four feet. Her registered tonnage was 7,713. She was owned by the Adelaide Steamship Company of Port Adelaide, Australia.

Wounded Killed Outright.
A British Port, Sunday, August 4.—The ship torpedoed yesterday morning as she was nearing home from France was struck in the after part of the engine room. Three members of the staff were killed here and the dynamo was destroyed, plunging the vessel into darkness.

Just over the dynamo was the wardroom, containing more than 100 patients. Most of these were killed outright by the explosion. The others, injured by the explosion, were trapped and perished, except for a few who jumped overboard and were picked up.

LIBERTY.
Bennie Kirkland and his winsome California Cupids offer a complete change of program this evening. This is a fine company of entertainers and one of the best that has appeared at the Liberty. The picture program presents William Farnum in the drama, The Plunderers. Coming Monday and Tuesday: Arthur Guy Empey in Over the Top.

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HUN ATTACKS BROKEN UP

UNABLE TO DISLODGE FRENCH AND AMERICANS NORTH OF THE VESE.

(By the Associated Press.)
Paris, August 6.—North of the river Vesle the Germans have been repulsed in efforts to dislodge French and American units which crossed from the south bank. Today's official statement also reports the French advance to the Avo river, north of Montdidier. The French have reached the Avo's west bank between Braches and Yverlief north of Montdidier, the statement adds.

German Bombardment.
London, August 6.—German guns were active last night in the region north of Villers-Bretonneux on the front northeast of Amiens, the war office announced. Many gas shells were thrown into the British line.

Army Casualty List.
Washington, August 6.—Today's army casualty list shows 358 names as follows:

Killed in action 31
Died of wounds 6
Wounded severely 313
Wounded degree undetermined 7
Prisoners 1

Corp. Roger J. Bainbridge, Edmond, Okla., severely wounded.

Marine Casualty List.
Washington, August 6.—Today's marine corps casualty list shows:

Killed in action 7
Died of wounds 3
Wounded severely 18
Wounded degree undetermined 111
Wounded slightly 1

Lieut. Oliver E. Murray Kinfield, Okla., wounded in action, degree undetermined.

CHAPTER OF CASUALTIES

LIST OF TODAY 498. TOTAL SINCE AMERICANS ENTERED WAR ABOVE 16,000.

(By the Associated Press.)
Washington, Aug. 6.—Army and Marine corps casualties in the Alsace-Marne salient fighting made public today by the war department number 498. Of these there were 358 soldiers and 140 marines. This brought the total since the toll of American victories began to arrive yesterday to 1,213 and a total of all casualties since American forces first landed in France to 16,409. These lists do not represent any one day's fighting but probably include some of the casualties for several days. One of today's lists officially reports Lieut. Quinton Roosevelt, aviation corps, dead and buried.

TULSA ELEVATOR DESTROYED BY FIRE

(By the Associated Press.)
Tulsa, Okla., August 6.—A fire which started from an unknown cause destroyed the elevator and warehouse of the Read Milling and Elevator Company here this morning. Approximately \$130,000 worth of grain was burned.

GAME OF "MOTH AND FLAME" AT LONDON.

(By the Associated Press.)
London, August 6.—"The moth and the flame" is a little game of hide and seek which is played over London at night now and then, the moth being an aviator of the city's defense forces and the flame a searchlight designed to dazzle the German Gothas when they come in droves to bombard the metropolis.

These "rehearsals" take place at intervals, the director of searchlights being notified in advance that an allied machine is to ascend, but neither the time nor the locality are given. Then the game of the flame is to find the moth, and keep his rays of the searchlight fastened upon the flying machine.

To Londoners, the airplane appears like a great moth, or a white speck in the sky, and the searchlight's ray reminds one of a great white ribbon extending from the earth to the airplane and beyond.

HUNS GIVE UP SOME GROUND

EVACUATE TERRITORY ON LYS SALIENT. FIGHTING ON VESE CONTINUES.

(By the Associated Press.)
The Soissons-Rheims front situation has been stabilized for the moment while opposing forces prepare for further movements. Uneasiness continues along the northern front and Crown Prince Rupprecht's armies have given up to the British territory along the Labasse canal in the Lys salient apex. Meanwhile French and British are organizing territory evacuated by the Germans north and south of the Somme in Picardy. Heavy artillery and patrol actions progress along the Vesle river, French and American troops having crossed the river in small units at various points and enemy has failed in attempts to prevent these incursions. No important activity elsewhere on the western front.

Bombarding Paris.
Paris, Aug. 6.—The German long range bombardment of Paris was continued this morning.

Finnish and Russian Confer.
Amsterdam, Aug. 6.—Russian and Finnish delegations have opened a conference in Berlin for the conclusion of a peace treaty between Russia and Finland, according to advices here.

Schooner Sunk by Submarine.
Canadian Atlantic Port, Aug. 6.—The British schooner Gladys J. Holland has been sunk by a German submarine, according to the crew who landed today at a Nova Scotia town.

HUN ZEPPELIN BROUGHT DOWN

ATTEMPTED RAID ON LONDON RESULTS IN DISASTER FOR HUNS.

(By the Associated Press.)
London, Aug. 6.—In last night's air raid on England by German airships one Zeppelin was brought down according to official announcement. Another of the enemy aircraft was damaged but probably succeeded in reaching its base.

NEW DRAFT BILL ALMOST READY

Washington, August 6.—The new administration man-power bill, extending the selective service act to all men between the ages of 18 and 45 inclusive and authorizing the president to call such persons into military service "in such sequence of ages and at such times" as he may prescribe was introduced today in both houses of congress.

The measure, which was prepared by Secretary Baker with the approval of the president and Provost Marshal General Crowder, was referred to the military committee.

Senator Chamberlain said the senate military committee had been called to meet tomorrow to begin consideration of the bill and that he hoped to report it out within a few days.

Senator Curtis of Kansas, and Senator Jones of Washington, announced themselves in favor of summoning a quorum of the Senate so the bill can be taken up immediately after it has been acted upon by the committee. The suggestion was approved by Senator Chamberlain.

Senator Chamberlain also presented a communication from the secretary of war, showing the number of men affected by the bill. According to these figures, 2,398,000 men between the ages of 18 and 30 inclusive, would be subject to military service. Of this number 601,000 would be men between 33 and 45.

Provost Marshal General Crowder, in a statement submitted by Senator Chamberlain suggested September 5 as the date for a national registration of men within the proposed new ages.

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Lights Off Tonight.
The business men of Ada must turn off their lights tonight, except those which are absolutely necessary for protection, says A. L. Fentem, county fuel administrator. The lights should have been off last night, but many of the citizens forgot about it. The street lights must under no circumstances be turned on before sundown and must not be permitted to remain lighted after sunrise.

Let a Want Ad get it for you.

WOMAN IS APPOINTED SHERIFF OF COLEMAN COUNTY
Coleman, Tex., Aug. 6.—Mrs. John R. Banister, widow of the late Sheriff John R. Banister, was appointed by the Commissioners' Court today to fill the unexpired term of her husband, who died serving his second term.

Mr. Banister received the greatest number of votes in the late primary and would have been in the runoff with W. R. Hamilton.

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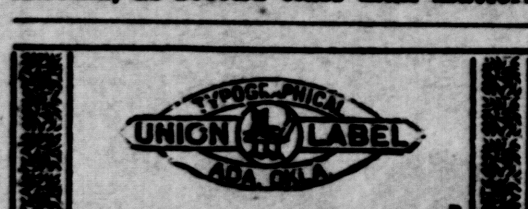
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NEWS BRIEVITIES.

(By the Associated Press)
London, Aug. 6.—A systematic collection throughout the country of all hard nut shells and fruitstones, urgently required for war purposes, is being conducted by the government. English householders, hotel proprietors, superintendents of institutions and others were asked recently by the National Salvage Council to save all the fruit stones and hard nut shells available.
Washington, Aug. 6.—The United States has been asked to participate in a Commercial congress in Montevideo, Uruguay, from December 17 to 24 of this year. The object of the congress is to promote and expand trade and commerce on the hemisphere, particularly among the Latin-American countries.

Amsterdam, Aug. 6.—Experiments to perfect a flourless loaf to take the place of bread have been recently conducted in Germany, according to word received in Amsterdam.

Advices from Berlin say that the Workmen's Food Control Commission has successfully carried on the experiments with the result that bread without flour was made. The experiments are said to have been satisfactory. The formula for the new bread substitute is not given.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 6.—In the many pieces of jewelry donated by residents of Denver to the Red Cross none perhaps has a more varied and sinister history than that of a Bohemian poison ring donated by J. E. Zahn.

The small gold band manufactured more than two hundred years ago, he said has been worn by several princesses, at least twice with fatal effect for their enemies. The bezel of the ring turns upon a tiny hinge, the pressure of a hidden spring opening a small poison chamber. The ring is valued at \$1,000.

Goldsboro, N. C., Aug. 6.—John Ward, a negro called as a witness in a recent trial held here told the court he was the father of thirty-five children and that thirteen sons were in military service. Ward, who is 62 years old, has been married three times and has twenty-five living children.

The negro says his first wife bore 15 children in six years—quadruplets twice, two sets of triplets and one single child. The second wife, he said gave birth to twelve children, twins twice. The third wife gave birth to eight children. Five sons in military service are in France, and eight others are in training camps in this country.

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Notice of Letting Contract for Street Improvement.

Bids will be received up to eight o'clock P. M., August 19th, 1918, for the improvement of approximately eight blocks of streets in the Town of Roff, Oklahoma. The streets are to be guttered and curbed with concrete, and are to be graded and surfaced with a four inch layer of chat sufficiently oiled to well pack. The work is to be done as provided in Ordinance No. 75 of said Town.

Parties interested may write for further particulars to J. B. Craig, Town Clerk, Roff, Oklahoma.

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Literal Wealth in Bible.
A student purchased an interesting old Bible at a second-hand book seller's some years ago for a small sum. On taking it home he was delighted to discover banknotes to the value of \$5,000 folded between the sacred pages. Another ancient Bible was found to contain notes to the extent of \$3,500. This was owned by a prodigal son who lived many years unconscious of the wealth in his possession.

Call at News office for old papers. 5c per pound. News office.

FLUFFY
By FLORENCE G. MEANEY.

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"Oh, dear, I wish I looked like other girls; it's no wonder nobody likes me. This old hair! Every time I look in that glass I just want to scream."

This outburst arose from Virginia Ray, the youngest of three sisters, or Fluffy, as her school chums called her, owing to a wealth of auburn fluffy hair.

"Why, my dear," exclaimed her mother entering the room, "what's worrying my little girl? Look at the pretty eyes all swollen!"

"Oh, mother," Virginia stormed, "I just wish I didn't have this old hair. I've brushed it and combed it till I'm tired out and it doesn't change one bit. I think I'll be tempted to cut it all off one of these days if they plague me any more about it." Then she told her mother how they had nicknamed her Fluffy, to match her hair. Mrs. Ray tried to comfort her by telling her "some girls would be crazy to have those curls."

At the supper table the main topic was the dance to be held that evening for the boys over there. "And," chirped Helen, second eldest, "Capt. Arthur Harvey of the — regiment is going to be there; they say he is a stunner and unmarried."

No one had noticed the pretty flush that had come to Virginia's face nor that she had tasted very little supper, and on a pretense of being so tired she begged to be excused.

Once out of their sight she gave way to her thoughts. "I wonder," she mused, "could it be possible?" and tripping upstairs she made her way to her sister Mary's wardrobe and selected a gray georgette crepe dress, the prettiest she could find. It would do no harm to try it on, she thought; then arranging her hair up high she viewed herself in the long mirror. "Gosh! I never knew I could look so nice," and trotting in delight to her own room, she decided to go to the dance.

Eight o'clock found the hall quite crowded, orchestra playing, and everybody bubbling over with happiness. In the farthest corner sat Virginia all alone and unnoticed, as she thought. She had seen her two sisters having the time of their lives and almost wished she hadn't come, but then her thoughts strayed to the object of her presence there, and she started another neck-straining search, but of no avail.

Suddenly the orchestra struck up a lively fox trot, and Virginia was lost in beating time, humming and watching the different steps and didn't mind the time passing. "Pardon me," came in a low voice. "Why aren't you enjoying yourself like your sisters and the rest?" Virginia turned suddenly to find herself face to face with the man she had come purposely to see. "Oh, I—I," she stammered. "Really, I must be going—." But she didn't go alone, for Captain Harvey asked permission to escort her home, and after some hesitation she decided to allow him.

It was a pleasant walk home, and when Virginia asked him, "How did you remember me after such a long time?" he replied: "Well, when I came into the hall I glanced around to see if there was anybody I knew, and for the minute, I must confess, I was somewhat disappointed; you see the crowd seemed so strange to me. But when I happened to glance over in a certain corner I saw you, and stepping up to one of the fellows I inquired who the lady was with the fluffy hair. You know it is some time since we became acquainted, and for another minute I forgot we were friends (so careless of me); so finally putting on my thinking cap I recollected everything." He continued talking about the good times they had that summer they were together—the picnic, the little pool where they had learned to swim—when suddenly he turned to see if Virginia was enjoying it, and to his amazement saw two big tears rolling down her cheeks. "Stop right where you are," she cried. "You are like all the rest, and I thought you were so different. Oh, why does everybody ridicule my hair?"

Captain Harvey had been so interested in talking over those times he forgot he had even mentioned her hair, and for answer he put one strong arm around her and, lifting the tear-stained face, he said: "I've only known you a little while, girlie, but I like you; and, honest, I wasn't making fun of your hair." Virginia looked up, eyes sparkling at hearing his humble confession, and then to his surprise she told him how she happened to be there. "You see, Captain Harvey," smiling through her tears, "I heard them say you were going to be there, so I was bound to go, even though I had to borrow a dress, and—" she stammered—"I guess I'm not disappointed, after all." "Nor I," chimed in Harvey, "because I adore fluffy hair."

Yellow Fever.

Dr. Walter Reid of the United States army discovered in 1900 that yellow fever was communicated to man through the bite of a mosquito. During the nineteenth century deaths from yellow fever at Havana were frequently as high as 1,500 per annum, or at the rate of 428 per 100,000 inhabitants. A year after Doctor Reid's discovery they had ceased altogether. Up to that year the mortality from yellow fever had been as follows: 1890, 308; 1891, 308; 1892, 337; 1894, 494; 1895, 538; 1896, 1,382; 1897, 925; 1898, 139; 1899, 139; 1900, 219; 1901, 19.

TELLS ALL OF HER FRIENDS ABOUT IT

"I Gained Ten Pounds Since I Started Taking Tanlac," She Says.

"I have gained ten pounds since taking Tanlac and feel so good that I am telling all my friends about this wonderful medicine," said Mrs. George W. Hancock, of 4727 Worth street, Dallas, Texas, recently. "All last year," she continued, "my system was so badly run down and I felt so tired and worn out that I was hardly fit for a thing. I lost my appetite and soon after eating would bloat up with gas till I could hardly stand it. At times I would suffer terribly from rheumatism in my back and shoulders, my nerves were in such a dreadful condition, that I could hardly sleep, and when I got up in the mornings, I'd feel just as tired and fagged out, as I did the night before. I tried all kinds of medicines, but nothing did me any good and I was getting worse all the time."

"So many people were taking Tanlac and praising it so highly that I tried it too. It sure made me hungry from the start, and my appetite has been fine ever since I began to pick up right away. I eat all I want and everything agrees with me. My nerves are now in such good shape that I sleep like a child all night and get up in the morning full of life and energy, and able to do all my house work without any trouble, and could do twice as much if I had to."

Tanlac is sold in Ada by Gwin & Mays Drug Company, and by leading druggists and dealers everywhere.

Adv.

RED CROSS AIDS LEPROUS COLONY.

(By the Associated Press)
Washington, August 6.—The American Red Cross has shipped twenty pounds of quinine to the Sisters of St. Vincent de Paul, who have charge of the leprosy colony at Parangana, South Madagascar. The Sisters recently sent an appeal to the French Minister for the Colonies in Paris, but he was unable to send the quinine because of the enactment of a law which forbids the exporting of it during the present war. The matter was turned over to the American Red Cross and as a result the quinine was on a vessel which set sail from an American port several days ago. The quinine is wanted because of the prevalence of fever.

St. Louis, August 6.—At least one American Red Cross nurse and a French and English speaking Red Cross aid have been assigned to each French military hospital. It was announced today by George W. Simmons, manager of the Southwestern Division of the American Red Cross. Recently during an engagement several Americans were severely wounded. They were rushed to French military hospitals. As none of the attendants understood English and as the Americans were not able to understand French, a peculiar state of affairs existed. The Americans were under the impression they were in enemy hospitals. They also found it difficult to describe their symptoms.

The new arrangement will mean that the soldier should be taken to a French military hospital, will find an American to cheer him, as well as to attend to his wants including the writing of letters should he be unable to do so. Also he will not suffer the illusion that he has been captured by the enemy.

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TRADE BETWEEN ICELAND AND CENTRAL EMPIRES.
(By the Associated Press)

London, August 6.—A great deal of trade was done between Iceland and Germany and Austria, earlier in the war, in the opinion of the Attorney General, expressed during the hearing of a case in the Prize Court. This contraband trade was upon an enormous scale and very difficult to detect, he declared. He gave one illustration—between October and December, 1914, the entire output of 200,000 woolskins was exported to Germany and Austria via Denmark. Although the British government knew this was going on it had not been possible to detect it owing to the territorial nature of the voyage till they had been able to get evidence by means of intercepted messages. Fortunes had been made in Iceland. Voyages were usually secret and by unusual courses designed to avoid the British navy, while documents were made not to conceal the true nature of the transaction.

Children Understand Nature.

A few years ago, Switzerland followed the new idea of other countries that nature study should be a regular study in the school program, and that teachers should be trained accordingly. It was soon discovered that the pupils knew more than the trained teachers, for the teachers' information was too often based on books alone while the children knew nature from actual contact with her in all her moods.

Know Where They Spoke.
Old-fashioned editors were right. It was always time to call a halt on something—Bart Smith.

DADDY'S EVENING TALK
By MARY GRAMMER

RATS.

"The Coyne rat," said Daddy, "comes from Central and South America and is quite an interesting animal."

"Now, one day the Coyne rat was talking to the Muskrat."

"Hello, Muskrat," said the Coyne rat.

"Hello, Coyne," said Muskrat.

"How are you this fine day?" asked Coyne.

"Well," said Muskrat, "just as well as a rat can be. That's pretty healthy, too. There is nothing sickly or weak about a rat. We're a good strong family, we are."

"Too bad you didn't ask me how I was feeling," said Coyne.

"Oh, dear, aren't you well?" asked Muskrat. "I give you my sympathy, my sweet rat sympathy. I am sorry, sad and unhappy to hear that illness has overtaken you and that you are feeling far from well."

"You're talking absolute nonsense," said Coyne.

"Oh, gracious," said Muskrat, "you are in a bad temper."

"Nothing of the sort," said Coyne. "I don't agree with you, I'm sorry to say."

"If you're sorry to say it, don't say it," said Coyne. "I have no use for these folks and creatures who hate to say things and who still go ahead and say them."

"I was sorry to say I couldn't agree with you," said Muskrat. "I would really like to agree with you, but in this case I simply couldn't. I really was sorry. Don't you believe me?" asked Muskrat sadly.

"Oh, yes," said Coyne, "I suppose I do. But you're so wrong in what you have been saying."

"Oh, dear, oh, dear!" squealed Muskrat. "I am always wrong, always wrong. It's a sad life I lead."

"It's not a sad life you lead," said Coyne. "You were saying only a short time ago how well you felt. That doesn't make you sad, does it?"

"No," said Muskrat, "but you're so very cross to me that I feel rather sad all of a sudden."

"I must be more patient," said Coyne. "I was rather quick and sharp with you and I mean to be friendly. You see, in the first place I said that it was too bad you hadn't asked how I was feeling."

"I remember," said Muskrat. "And I was sorry you didn't feel well. I am still sorry, for that matter."

"For that matter," repeated Coyne, "I am not feeling poorly. I am feeling well. You never gave me the chance to say how I was feeling. You at once made up your mind that I was feeling poorly."

"And you were feeling well and are still feeling well?" asked Muskrat.

"Never better in my life," said Coyne. "That was the reason why I said it was too bad you hadn't asked me how I was feeling. I thought we could both rejoice over our health together."

"Now I see," said Muskrat. "I spoke too soon. I didn't use my rat intelligence."

"That's the whole trouble," agreed Coyne.

"So you're not in a bad temper at all?" asked Muskrat.

"I am not," said Coyne.

"Good!" said Muskrat. "Then we can have a nice rat chat. How we both love the water! You're every bit as fond of it as I am, and everyone knows that the muskrat family love the water."

"We both appreciate good things," said Coyne. "The water is a very good thing."

"It mightn't like being called a 'thing,'" said Muskrat, "but I don't suppose it would really object."

"It might splash a little, but that's all," said the Coyne. "Do you know something fine about me?"

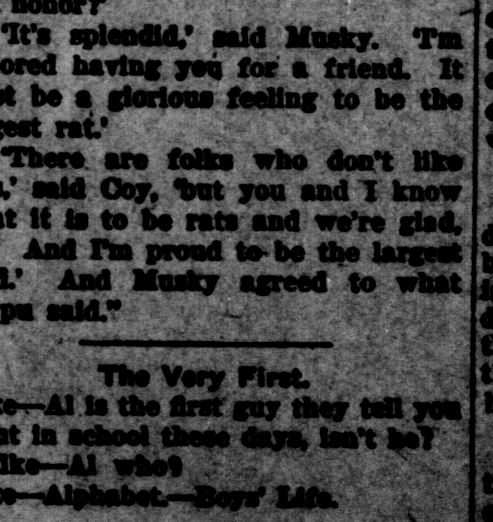
"I know you're a fine rat," said Muskrat, "and that you're a good friend of mine, for we both like the water. Have you something else to tell me?"

"Did you know," began Coyne, "squealing in a very important fashion, 'that I am the largest rat in all the world? Yes, the Coyne rat is the largest rat of all and is even the largest of all animals that are like rats. What do you think of that for a distinction and honor?"

"It's splendid," said Muskrat. "I'm honored having you for a friend. It must be a glorious feeling to be the largest rat."

"There are folks who don't like rats," said Coyne, "but you and I know what it is to be rats and we're glad, eh? And I'm proud to be the largest kind." And Muskrat agreed to what Coyne said.

The Very First.
Eco—Al is the first guy they tell you about in school these days, isn't he? Mike—Al who? Eco—Alphabet—Bart Smith.



QUESTION OF GERMAN COLONIES IN PACIFIC

Sydney, Australia, Aug. 6.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—The final disposition of the German colonies in the Pacific, the "Pacific Monroe Doctrine" broached by the Prime Minister, William M. Hughes, in his speech before the Pilgrims Club in New York; and the recent report of the Australian Interstate Commerce Commission upon British and Australian Trade in the South Pacific, all relate directly or indirectly to discussion which is becoming more or less frequent in the Australian, New Zealand and Fiji press touching a federation of the South Sea Islands. The Interstate Commerce Commission said in its report:

"The government of the islands controlled by the British crown is at present lacking in cohesion and unity of policy. The commission is satisfied that the islands under the British crown should be grouped under a more coherent system. The commission has suggested that in order to ensure timely settlement of this paramount question of government a joint inquiry by representation of the United Kingdom, Australia and New Zealand should be undertaken. One of the British Pacific island commissioners said in Sydney while on a recent visit here:

"The suggestion that a conjoint commission of inquiry be appointed at an early date should in my opinion be carefully considered by the public of the Commonwealth. The question as to whether administrative powers should be granted to such a commission, which would represent the interests of the imperial government of the commonwealth, and of the Dominion of New Zealand is one which also claims the full consideration of statesmen."

"British interests at present are widely spread under many forms of control, and difficulties are constantly created by the lack of effective co-operation. Great Britain, Australia and New Zealand are carrying on the work of administration through officers who have no direct relation with each other. There are crown colonies, Fiji and the Gilbert and Ellice Islands, the imperial protectorate of the Solomon Islands; Australian dependencies such as Papua; and the islands under the civil administration of New Zealand. To add to this diversity of control we now have the military occupation by Australia and by New Zealand of the late German Pacific possessions. It is a maze of control with centers of reference in London, Melbourne and Wellington."

"Objection may be made to the grant of administrative powers at present to any commission. The war is still on hand it may be urged that little can be done—at least so far as the late German Pacific possessions are concerned—till the issue of it is known. But, pending peace, why not appoint a board or commission to obtain information and as far as possible, to simplify the existing administration? The commission could thus put the interests of Great Britain, of Australia, and of New Zealand into a common pool for the moment, and when the peace conference sits much valuable information should be available."

GLYCERINE MIXTURE FOR APPENDICITIS.

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Dressing for Dinner.

The custom of dressing for dinner was handed down to us from the Romans, who put on a loose robe of light texture, and generally white, before going to the most important meal of the day. Instances occur where it was kept in readiness for guests who came from a distance and had had no opportunity of dressing before arrival.

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By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or impaired hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be removed and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarhal, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surface. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists sell it.

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Many Kinds of Breadstuffs.

Almost everything that grows has been called upon to make bread for man. In remote ages the Egyptians of the Nile valley prepared bread from the seed of lotus flowers. These flowers grew abundantly in the mud of the river bottom, and when the annual overflow receded there was a harvest of lotus flowers, just as we harvest wheat today.

When the baby is suffering the double affliction of hot weather and bowel derangement, the remedy needed is McKEE'S BABY REMEDY. It reduces the feverish condition, corrects the stomach and checks looseness of the bowels. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Bart Smith.

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CITY OF RALEIGH CARES FOR SOLDIERS.
(By the Associated Press)
Raleigh, N. C., August 6.—Soldiers on troop trains when passing through Raleigh refresh themselves from a hot and tiresome journey with shower baths free of charge. A building containing one hundred shower baths, a few yards from the railway tracks, has been built with funds received by popular subscription, at a cost of approximately \$7,000.

Governor Bickett several weeks ago observed that many soldiers who stopped here for exercise and refreshment displayed evidence of suffering from the intense heat and he appealed to the citizens of Raleigh to subscribe to a fund for a bath house. Within less than a week enough money was contributed. Besides making cash donations, business houses gave liberally in material and labor.

In addition to the baths the building contains a large dining room which is capable of seating two hundred men. Local Red Cross workers say they can, within one hour, supply food to a train of five hundred soldiers.

When you yawn a good deal in the daytime, feel dull, achey and want to stretch frequently it is an unmistakable symptom of malaria, and unless you do something at once you are booked for a spell of chills. HERBINE is a chill medicine that will prevent or cure the disease. It drives out the impurities on which the malarial germ thrives, strengthens the liver and cleanses the bowels. Price 60c. Sold by Bart Smith.

Cattle Increasing in Cuba.
Natural milk is sold in almost all parts of Cuba, but condensed milk is in very general use, and is consumed in relatively large quantities. According to the census of 1907 there were at that time 2,579,492 cattle in the republic which number, it is estimated, has now risen to above 3,000,000.

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6,000 DENTISTS IN MILITARY SERVICE

(By the Associated Press)

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Six thousand of the 42,000 dentists in America are in active military service and 20,000 of those remaining at home are members of the Preparedness League and have performed more than 500,000 dental operations free of charge to permit young men to pass strict military examinations.

Members of the National Dental Association from all parts of the country are gathering here for a big "Win the War" convention, Aug. 5 to 10, at which results already obtained will be reviewed and plans discussed for extending further aid to the government. Ten thousand delegates are expected to attend.

The Canadian Dental Association has decided to attend in a body instead of meeting in Canada this year, and this will give the convention an international character.

A series of dental clinics will be held, experts will give special attention to pyorrhea and focal infection, the two teeth diseases mostly feared by the public, and steps will be taken to impress upon young men the advisability of consulting dentists before entering military service and thus relieving the great strain on the army and navy dental corps.

Then will be taken up the art of plastic surgery, which was developed by the dentists to meet conditions brought on by trench warfare. Startling results achieved in restoring health and making normal the appearance of men suffering serious face wounds by means of plastic surgery have given the dentists a new distinction.

Recognition of the importance of the dentist's work has led the military authorities to place members of the profession in the service on a full equality with other members of the medical corps and for the first time the dentist, as well as the medical men, is eligible to a commission as high as colonel.

The splendid response of the Am-

erican dentist to the demands of war antedates America's entrance into the conflict. The preparedness league founded and headed by Dr. J. W. Beach, New York, was the outgrowth of voluntary and extended by a group of New York state dentists to Canadian dentists. These Americans crossed into Canada and contributed their services, when the Canadian Dental Corps was having difficulty meeting the great demands upon it.

Thousands of members of the Preparedness League now are devoting part of their time to the work of preparing men for military service. They estimate the number of free dental operations will reach the million mark before the first of the year.

The Psi Omega, leading dental fraternity, has pledged every one of its 10,000 members to extend free services to aid prospective soldiers in getting into uniforms. Dr. D. U. Cameron, Chicago, has arranged for a big loyalty banquet on the opening day at which a Psi Omega service flag bearing 1,007 stars will be unfurled.

The National Association's service flag, bearing 6,000 stars, will be unfurled the opening day.

Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis and Lieut. Vasil Stolica of the Roumanian army will be the chief speakers at a big patriotic meeting Aug. 7, over which Col. William H. G. Logan, Chicago, president of the national association, will preside.

"Important changes in the Medical Department of the Army" will be the subject of an address by Maj. Gen. William C. Gorgas, surgeon general of the army, at another session. Lieut. Col. Horace D. Arnold will outline the surgeon general's plans for maintaining the health of the soldier.

Col. Logan and Maj. H. Ivy and Joseph D. Eby of the army will discuss and illustrate the wonders of modern plastic surgery, and Col. Guy Hume, returning from inactive service with the Canadian army in France, will tell of his observations.

A bronze statue of the late Dr. Greene Vardimann Black of Chicago, one of the great pioneers of dental research, which is life size and stands in Lincoln Park, will be unveiled on Aug. 8. Thousands of American dentists contributed to the fund with which the monument was constructed.

When your brain is dull and you cannot hold your own in a test of wit among your fellows, it means your liver is torpid and your stomach and bowels full of bilious impurities. To brighten up your mental faculties and make you feel right, Prickly Ash Bitters is the remedy you need. It clears the brain and braces the body. Price \$1.25 per bottle. —Gwin & Mays Drug Co., Special Agents.

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ALLIES GAINING AERIAL CONTROL

British Air Force Headquarters in France, Aug. 6.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—There have been many signs recently of extreme uneasiness by the German High Command regarding the increasing ascendancy of the allied airmen on the Western front. This has been especially evident since the American airmen have begun to appear in force and have proved themselves of the same mettle as the French and British fliers.

It has become a common-place among British airmen that their opponents will not face combat in the air unless in strength of three or four to one and German prisoners have told of German airmen being punished by their flight commanders for returning to their airdromes still laden with bombs and ammunition which they had been ordered to drop over the British lines. It is becoming increasingly hard to find a German airman over the allied side of the lines in the daytime, as is proved by the German's own admission that when they do manage to bring down an allied machine it is almost always over their own territory.

Perhaps the most striking evidence of German official anxiety regarding the allied superiority in the air is to be found in the official German wireless news. This, while always imaginative and rarely accurate, has of late been singularly wild and full of fiction regarding the situation in the air. In an effort to counteract the depressing effect of the real facts of the situation, the German wireless editors make the wildest statements, bordering almost on humor.

Thus a recent copy of the German wireless report says: "Superior methods of flying and greater skill have occurred for the German Air Force successes on a scale such as were never known before." The same statement refers in glowing terms to the "reckless attacking spirit" of the pilots of the German chasing planes—a phrase which provoked much merriment among British, French and American airmen, who of late have found that even one of the reconnaissance machines can rely on putting to flight any German machine which is not accompanied by three or four of its own kind.

"If Germany is really pleased with her air record for the past few months," remarked a British squadron leader to the correspondent, "there is no reason for us to complain. We ask nothing better than that Germany should go on having the same kind of success in future months."

He took as an example the report for May, which lay open on his desk. "This report," he explained, "deals with the British air fighting alone, and has no reference to the fine air work of the French, Italians and Americans. During the month the British brought down 398 German machines in aerial combat and 60 by fire from the ground, while 100 more were driven down out of control and probably destroyed. During the same period, 128 British machines failed to return to their airdromes."

Tabernacle Revival Successful.

Rev. Seaborn Crutchfield preached to a good audience Monday evening in the Methodist Tabernacle and his message was well received. Several "hit the sawdust trail" at the close of the sermon and the Christian people of the assembly pledged to pray for the religious awakening of the citizenship of Ada and for the success of the work of the church throughout the world.

Misses Noe and Todd sang "Jesus, Saviour, Pilot Me" and did it greatly to the delight of their audience. Both these young women have sweet voices and sing to the glory of God. They have promised to sing Sunday morning at the First Methodist church. Their selection will be "Mather Always Cares for You."

Last night the pastor, Rev. W. M. Crutchfield, expressed great appreciation for the co-operation of the membership of the Second Baptist church, their pastor, officials, musicians and young people. He also thanked the Walters Music House for the use of a good piano free of charge. Many other acts of courtesy were mentioned as deserving of special thanks.

Tuesday being election day, it was decided to rest a few days. This was peculiarly needed since the people have been for a whole month in special revival meetings on the north side. The next meeting will be held Sunday night at 8:40. Either the pastor or his father will be the preacher at that service.

Cat Turned the Trick.

Psychology is playing a more and more important part in shop work. One Cincinnati manufacturer, who employed about twenty girls in a certain department, found that they quickly grew discontented and left him at the end of a week or two, complaining of the monotony of their tasks. The manufacturer laid the facts before a noted psychologist, who advised him to get a cat, put it in the room with the girls, and await results. It worked well.

Bad Language Astonished Horse.

A horse's surprise was recounted in court the other day when a gamekeeper was fined a dollar at Thaxted, Essex, England, for using bad language. A woman who preferred the charge said that a horse near her cottage "laid back its ears and turned its eyes in great astonishment toward the swearing gamekeeper."

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Turns ON TRAINER

Catchee Man Unarmed as Camera Click—Nearly Torn to Ribbons Before Daring Rescue Saves Life.

Fort Lee, N. J.—The daring of John A. Cahill, an animal trainer, in entering, unarmed, a cage in which there was a 585-pound lion in an ugly mood, nearly cost him his life at a film company's studio here. Had it not been for the gallant rescue by a stage carpenter, who went into the cage and fought the beast to a standstill, Cahill probably would have been mauled to death. As it was, he was taken to the hospital with 25 wounds—scratches and bites—on his chest, back and cheeks.

Hired to Brave Lion.

The "movie" folk were filming a play which calls for one of the characters to brave a lion in its den. Cahill, who is thirty-eight and lives at Elizabeth, N. J., was engaged for this part. He also provided the lion, which was one of a number kept at what is called the Lion farm, near Elizabeth.

The beast behaved angrily at being moved to Fort Lee, and was in bad humor as Cahill prepared to enter the



The Trainer Once More Went Down.

cage, while three camera operators ground away at their machines. No sooner had the trainer stepped within and closed the door back of him when the lion sprang forward and with a single sweep of the paw knocked him down. Cahill turned face downward and the animal pounced, catlike, upon his back, ripping his flesh in many places.

Cahill struggled to his feet and faced the lion, but it was not to be quelled by a look. It sprang again, and the trainer once more went down, but this time he managed to get his arms around the beast's neck and wrestle with it. Thus he kept away from the claws, but the lion, snapping from side to side, bit through both his cheeks.

Meanwhile there was much excitement among a large group of actors and actresses who had assembled to watch the picture in the making. Several of the women fainted, and others ran away shrieking. No one seemed to know what to do until one of the camera men seized a fire extinguisher and shot the acid contents into the beast's mouth and eyes. This halted its attack for a moment, but then it shook its great head and pounced back upon Cahill, this time ripping his chest.

A Daring Rescue.

John C. Abbott, Jr., a stage carpenter, was working outside the building when the screams of the women reached his ears. He realized that something probably had happened to the lion act, and ran within, grabbing as he went a long-handled ax.

Several persons tried to restrain Abbott, but he pushed them aside, opened the door of the cage and ran at the lion with his ax. Before the animal recovered from its surprise Abbott battered it on the head and it backed away from the prostrate Cahill. Abbott swung again and landed on the beast's skull. This partially stunned it and a third blow laid it out helpless. Then the carpenter seized Cahill's legs and dragged him to safety outside the cage.

Kept Ground Glass Evidence.

San Francisco.—Jack, the office boy at City Food Administrator Pond's office, felt a gnawing in his innards and proceeded to dispose of about half a cake, all the evidence of a "glass-in-the-food" plot. When officials of the office discovered the disappearance of the cake they worried, and when they learned that Jack had eaten it they forthwith had a few fits.

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For District Judge: J. W. BOLEN
D. G. HART
For County Attorney: WAYNE WADLINGTON.
For County Treasurer: D. W. SWAFFAR
For Sheriff: BOB DUNCAN (re-election)
For County Tax Assessor: NICK HEARD (re-election)
For County Clerk: MILTON GARNER
Court Clerk: J. O. McMINN
A. R. SUGG (re-election)
For County Weigher: O. J. LEE (re-election).
JOHN WARD
For County Judge: OREL BUSBY (re-election)
J. O. COWART
For Representative: T. V. B. MULLINAX
M. L. CHAMBERS
W. H. EBBY
DATE CRAWFORD
W. C. DUNCAN
For County Superintendent: A. FLOYD (Re-Election)
For Co. Commissioner, 1st District: W. H. BRUMLEY (Re-Election).
JOHN EDWARDS
For County Commissioner (2nd Dist): R. L. MOSS
J. I. LAUGHLIN
W. B. SELFIDGE
County Commissioner, 3rd Dist.: HENRY F. BIBE
W. H. BRENTS (Re-election)
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- A. F. S. A. M.
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We wish to extend our most sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends for their many deeds of kindness and sympathy shown us through the sickness, death and burial of our beloved son Royal. We are also deeply grateful to Royal's friends for their beautiful floral offerings. —Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Milstead and family.

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